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MEDIA ADVISORY

SAPD & EISD Join Forces In Tactical Training

When: Thursday, January 11th
1:30 p.m.

Where: 525 Cupples Rd.
Perales Elementary School
Library

What: A joint News Conference with San Antonio Police Chief William McManus and Superintendent Richard Bocanegra to announce that SAPD and EISD have joined together to improve on our already existing highly-trained officers.

On Monday, January 8th, both SAPD and EISD officers began tactical training offered by ALERRT (Advanced Law Enforcement Rapid Response Training) through the Criminal Justice Division of the Governor's Office. This training is being conducted at the former Edgewood Junior High School courtesy of the Edgewood Independent School District.

With this training, our officers will now have the ability to safely and effectively address and stop an active shooter incident, whether it is in an office building or school. First responders have always been trained to respond, establish a perimeter and notify SWAT. This training will change the way law enforcement reacts to active shooting situations in any setting.

"This is my continued commitment to provide the best-trained law enforcement officers while building problem-solving partnerships", says Chief McManus.

Visual: Photo-opportunity of officers in an active shooter scenario.

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